

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Kunihiko Ishizaki <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit	: 1794
Serial No.	: 10/588,530	Examiner	: Hoa T Le
Filed	: August 7, 2006	Conf. No.	: 9566
Title	: Particulate Water Absorbing Agent With Irregularly Pulverized Shape		

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL ACTION OF APRIL 9, 2008**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: